

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q87291

Masahiko TERAKADO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/530,249

Group Art Unit: 1609

Confirmation No.: 9920

Examiner: Jeffrey H. Murray

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For: LPA RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated January 19, 2007. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group XV, drawn to compounds of the formula (I-B), according to claims 1-2, and 68, for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,


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